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SUBJECT: ALLEGED PLANNED TERRORIST ATTACKS BY ILICH

RAMIREZ SANCHEZ AKA CARLOS, HANS JOACHIM KLEIN AND OTHERS

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION, RECEIVED ON 9/5/76 FROM FEDERAL CRIMINAL POLICE AUTHORITY (BKA/TE) VIA OCA,

EMBASSY BONN, IS HEREBY REPEATED TO ADDRESSEES:

"SUBJECT: ALLEGED PLANNED TERRORIST ATTACKS BY ILICH RAMIREZ SANCHEZ AKA CARLOS, HANS JOACHIM KLEIN AND OTHERS.

"SOURCE: A GERMAN OFFICIAL ABROAD FROM AN INFORMANT NOT

OTHERWISE IDENTIFIED.

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"ILICH RAMIREZ SANCHEZ AKA CARLOS (HEREAFTER CARLOS)
AND HANS JOACHIM KLEIN BORN 21 DECEMBER 1947, GERMANY ARE
AT PRESENT AT ALGIERS. THEY PLANNED DEPART ALGIERS SOON.
CARLOS HAD TICKET FLY ALGIERS TO BELGRADE, BAGHDAD AND
HAD ALGERIAN PASSPORT IN NAME OF GEORG SHAREN. KLEIN
HAD TICKET FLY ALGIERS, BELGRADE, BRUSSELS AND HAD
BELGIAN OR DUTCH PASSPORT IN NAME OF PETER KLARSEN.
TICKETS BOOKED WITH AIR ALGERIE. OTHERS, INCLUDING
WOMEN, MIGHT ACCOMPANY CARLOS AND KLEIN, ALL WITH FORGED
PASSPORTS.

"(BKA COMMENT: INFORMATION DATED MID-JUNE 1976
INDICATES THAT GABRIELE KROECHER-TIEDEMANN, RELEASED
3 MARCH 1975, TO GO TO ADEN HAD LEFT LIBYA FOR ALGIERS.
FIELD COMMENT: GABRIELE KROECHER-TIEDEMANN WAS ONE OF
SEVERAL GERMAN TERRORISTS RELEASED IN MARCH 1975 FROM
GERMAN PRISON IN EXCHANGE FOR RELEASE OF KIDNAPPED WEST
BERLIN CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT LEADER PETER LORENZ.)

"PLANNED ACTIONS BY THESE TERRORISTS WERE NOT IDENTIFIED. HOWEVER, INTERESTING TARGET AREAS OF THE TERRORISTS WERE DESCRIBED AS ZURICH, REPEAT ZURICH, OR FRANKFURT AND THE COLOGNE/BONN AREA.

"FOLLOWING ARE KNOWN AIRLINE DEPARTURES FROM ALGIERS: 5 SEPTEMBER 1976 AIR ALGIERS FLIGHT 3220 AT 1645 ARRIVAL SOFIA 2125. SEPTEMBER 6, 1976 AIR ALGIERS FLIGHT 3234 AT 1530 ARRIVAL BELGRADE 1910.

"(BKA COMMENTS: NUMEROUS PERSONAL DOCUMENTS USED AND FORGED BY CARLOS AND HIS FELLOW TERRORISTS WERE CONFISCATED IN GERMANY AND ABROAD. AMONG THESE WERE SEVEN COMPLETELY FORGED ECUADOREAN PASSPORTS. FORGERY SIGNS FOLLOW: FORGERY - THE MOUNTAIN IN THE NATIONAL SHIELD RISES TO THE RIGHT; GENUINE - THE MOUNTAIN RISES TO THE LEFT. FORGERY - QUOTE VISAS END QUOTE PRINTED ON PAGE SIX; QUOTE OBSERVACIONES END QUOTE PRINTED ON PAGES SIX AND SEVEN.

"NUMEROUS PASSPORTS CONTAIN FORGED ENTRY AND EXIT CONFIDENTIAL

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STAMPS. DEFINITE FORGERIES MAY BE RECOGNIZED ON ENTRY STAMP LONDON AIRPORT 339 WITH SHARP CORNERS. (GENUINE LONDON AIRPORT ENTRY STAMP HAS ROUNDED CORNERS.) ENTRY STAMP FRANKFURT/M (FRANKFURT AIRPORT) NR. 37 WITH LAST TWO LETTERS OF MONTH ABBREVIATION QUOTE JAN END QUOTE IN LOWER CASE. (GENUINE FRANKFURT AIRPORT ENTRY STAMP SHOWS MONTH ABBREVIATION IN UPPER CASE LETTERS ONLY.)

"BKA PASSED ABOVE TO ALL WEST EUROPEAN AND TO BELGRADE INTERPOL OFFICES."

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